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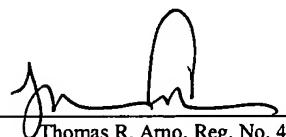
Applicant : Silbermann et al.  
Appl. No. : 10/719,932  
Filed : November 21, 2003  
For : PRESSING DEVICE FOR  
MANUFACTURING OF SHAPED  
COMPACTS FROM  
PULVERIZED MATERIAL  
Examiner : Nguyen  
Group Art Unit : 1722

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following comments in connection with the above-captioned application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.